

## Occurrence details

RCMP-GRC , HQ

Printed: 2016/10/18 09:08 by 000113204

Occurrence: **2007321891**

### Occurrence details:

Report no.: 2007321891

Dispatch type:

Occurrence type: Excise Act, 2001 - Possession Unstamped Tobacco Products - Offences Only

Occurrence time: 2007/03/22 00:00 -

Reported time: 2007/03/26 09:39

Place of offence: PORT DOVER, ON Canada (Div: O, Det: OPP)

Haldimand ON)

Source:

Priority:

Clearance status: Unfounded

Concluded: Yes

Concluded date: 2010/07/26

Summary: Anonomous information, unknown reliability received advising that subjects are involved in the the purchasing of tobacco directly from farmers. The tobacco is then shipped to Montreal where it is processed into illegal cigarettes. The farmers from whom the tobacco is purchased report the tobacco which they sold as stolen to the local OPP. File re-assigned to Cpl. Hebert

Remarks:

### Associated occurrences:

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- Other / 2009629038 / Customs Act - Smuggling - Offences Only (FIP) / 2009/06/10 15:09 / 20090610 15:09:06:000

### Involved persons:

### Involved addresses:

- Occurrence address / PORT DOVER, Ontario, Canada N0A 1N1 (Division: O, Detachment: OPP Haldimand ON)

### Involved comm addresses:

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Involved vehicles:Involved officers:

- Lead investigator / 9 / KNOX, M. / #000179323 / PROS / Officer / O DIV INACTIVE USERS ACCOUNT / 2009/10/21 / 20091021 --:--:--
- Supervising officer / 9 / HEBERT, W. / #000037407 / PROS / Officer / O DIV INACTIVE USERS ACCOUNT / 2009/08/11 / 20090811 --:--:--
- Primary unit / 9 / O DIV HAMILTON-NIAGARA C&E [DISCONTINUED] / RCMP / Non-assignable / 2007/03/30 / 20070330 --:--:--
- Assisting officer / 9 / RUMBOLT, M. / #000043626 / PROS / Officer / O DIV MARINE SECURITY OPER CENTRE-MSOC-GLSLS / 2007/03/30 / 20070330 --:--:--

Involved property:Modus operandi:Reports:General report:

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Only @2007/03/26 09:39 ( , PORT DOVER, ON Canada (Div:  
O, Det: OPP Haldimand ON)) (Anonymous information, unknown reliability received  
advising that subjects

**Task:** TK2007610307 [Further inv. required - Closed] Due: 2009/12/31 23:59 #000043626  
RUMBOLT, M. ->#000043626 RUMBOLT, M. FARMERS C/O SELLING TOBACCO

**Author:** #000043626 RUMBOLT, M.

**Report time:** 2007/03/30 10:37

**Entered by:** #000043626 RUMBOLT, M.

**Entered time:** 2007/03/30 10:37

**Remarks:** Investigative Chronology

**Narrative:**

2007-03-26 0939 hrs

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overweight vehicle on the 401, was associated to this group.

2007-03-30

2008-03-07

File has been inactive due to other operational priorities. Follow-up with CRA re: 2007-0729 request for to be actioned.

Information to be further examined. SUI

2008-06-16 1442 hrs

2008-06-16 1526 hrs

E-mail to Kate Casey, tobacco analyst, DCAS, re: current tobacco theft stats from Hamilton/Niagara Regional Detachment area.

2008-06-24 0825 hrs

Casey confirms via e-mail that to date she has information from the Flue cured Tobacco Marketing Board

208-12-08 1442 hrs

10-21 to Kate Casey, Tobacco Analyst, DCAS, "O" Div, message left asking that she confirm the alleged seizure of 7000 lbs of tobacco on or about March 2007. Also, asked for a recent update, re; tobacco thefts.

2008-12-08 1516 hrs

2008-12-10 1043 hrs

Spoke with Kate CASEY, DCAS who advised she was not able to locate any record of a raw leaf tobacco seizure ( 7000 lbs) around the time period indicated in the original information. CASEY advised also that she is making efforts to obtain the most recent information regarding tobacco thefts in our detachment area. She will advise as soon as it is available.

2008-12-10 16:42 hrs

E-mail received from Kate CASEY who advised she had reached out to the Ontario Flue-cured Tobacco Marketing Board,

*Note: Tobacco thefts being tracked by NHRD C&E unit on file # 200833462*

**General report:**

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**Task:** TK20101565792 [Further inv. required - Closed] Due: 2010/07/18 09:10 #000179323  
KNOX, M. ->#000179323 KNOX, M. 2007321891 Excise Act - Other Activities

@2007/03/26 09:39 (100 MAIN STREET E, Suite 200, HAMILTON, ON Canada  
(HAMILTON-NIAGARA RCMP DETACHMENT

Author: #000179323 KNOX, M.  
Entered by: #000179323 KNOX, M.  
Remarks:  
Narrative:

Report time: 2010/07/13 09:09  
Entered time: 2010/07/13 09:09

**2010-07-13**

**09:47hrs,**

Information regarding file was placed in Tobacco theft intelligence folder.

**Ext. doc. occ report [XFDL, 11.26 KB]:**

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Task: TK2007633356 [Other rpt - Closed] Due: 2007/05/22 17:41 #000043626 RUMBOLT, M. -  
>#000043626 RUMBOLT, M. PROOF 2007321891 Excise Act - Other Activities  
2007/03/26 09:39 @2007/03/26 09:39 (100 MAIN Commercial blg 200, HAMILTON, ON  
Canada (LANDMARK PLACE))

Author:  
Entered by: #000043626 RUMBOLT, M.  
Person:  
Address:  
Vehicle:  
Officer:  
Remarks:

Report time: 2007/05/31 14:57  
Entered time: 2007/05/31 14:54

**Ext. doc. occ report [PDF, 481.30 KB]:**

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Author:  
Entered by: #000043626 RUMBOLT, M.  
Person:  
Address:  
Vehicle:  
Officer:  
Remarks:

Report time: 2007/07/19 15:46  
Entered time: 2007/07/19 15:45

**Ext. doc. occ report [PDF, 36.80 KB]:**

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Officer:  
Remarks:

Report time: 2008/12/10 16:42  
Entered time: 2008/12/11 09:12

**Morris Rumbolt - 2008 Tobacco Thefts**

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**From:** Kate Casey  
**To:** Morris Rumbolt  
**Date:** 2008-12-10 16:42  
**Subject:** 2008 Tobacco Thefts  
**CC:** Kevin Lewis; Rob Leary

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Here's what I got back from  
Kate

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**From:** Kate Casey [mailto:kate.casey@rcmp-grc.gc.ca]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 10, 2008 11:39 AM  
**To:**  
**Subject:** Hello

Hi

if you could provide me with some information on thefts of raw leaf tobacco that have occurred in 2008. At the end of 2007,

Due to the fact that the thefts are often reported to other police agencies I do not always get to hear about them.

Your assistance is greatly appreciated

Kate

Kate Casey  
Intelligence Analyst

DCAS, RCMP London HQ  
(519) 640-7219





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Gendarmerie royale du Canada

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**FACSIMILE /MESSAGE  
TRANSMITTAL**

**ENVOI D'UN MESSAGE  
PAR TÉLÉCOPIEUR**

Security Classification/Designation  
Classification/désignation

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Precedence - Priorité

ROUTINE

TO  
A

Date

2007-07-19

FOR YOUR  
INFO.  
POUR VOTRE  
INFORM.

Reference No. - N° de référence

07/HNRD/REC/140

Your File - Votre n° de dossier

FROM  
DE

Name - Nom

M.K. RUMBOLT

Our File - Notre n° de dossier

Div.

Sub-Div. - S.-div.

Branch - Service

"O"

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IND SRRJ

CPIC ORI  
IND CIPC

OSR - RSO

Section

Customs & Excise

Unit - Unité

Hamilton/Niagara Regional

Unit Coll. - Code d'interclass. de serv.

SENDER - EXPÉDITEUR

RECIPIENT - DESTINATAIRE

Fax No. - N° de téléc. Tel. No. - N° de tél.

(905) 643-5766

(905) 643-5932

Fax No. - N° de téléc. Bus. Tel. No. - N° de tél. bur. Res. Tel. No. - N° de tél. rés.

SUBJECT Request Licencee Status  
OBJET

Total number of pages including this one:  
Nombre total de pages, y comprise celle-ci 1

COMMENTS  
COMMENTAIRES

Will you please confirm the status of  
"producing" tobacco licensee (manufacturer), and or a valid licensed tobacco dealer.

as a valid

Cst. M.K. Rumbolt

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Disclosure of message content may breach one or  
more laws. If you have received this communication  
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Operator - Opérateur

Telephone No. - N° de téléphone

Daily No. - N° quotidien

TO BE DELIVERED BY  
À LIVRER D'ICI LE

Date

Time - Heure

Authorizing Signature - Signature de l'approbateur

Date

2007-07-19

Time - Heure

REPLY REQUIRED BY  
RÉPONSE D'ICI LE

MODE = MEMORY TRANSMISSION

START=JUL-19 15:22

END=JUL-19 15:23

FILE NO. =527

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-RCMP HAMILTON NIAGARA -

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FROM  
DE

Name - Nom

M.K. RUMBOLT

Our File - Notre n° de dossier

Div.

Sub-Div. - S.-div.

Branch - Service

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OPERATIONAL FILE  
FOLDER

DOSSIER  
OPÉRATIONNEL

Occurrence No. N° d'incident	Primary Unit (Collator Code) Unité Primaire (Code d'interclassement)	Lead Investigator Enquêteur principal
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2007-321891

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Occurrence Type - Type d'incidents

Cst. KNOX

Non-Disclosure Non-divulgence	Effective Date (YYYY/MM/DD) Date d'entrée en vigueur (AAAA/MM/JJ)
<input type="checkbox"/> Absolute Discharge Absolution inconditionnelle	
<input type="checkbox"/> Conditional Discharge Absolution sous conditions	
<input type="checkbox"/> Youth Criminal Justice Act (YCJA) Loi sur le système de justice pénale pour les adolescents (LSJPA)	

Concluded Date (YYYY/MM/DD)  
Date Terminée (AAAA/MM/JJ)

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Check or Specify Reason Cocher ou Spécifier une raison	Modified Purge Date (YYYY/MM/DD) Date d'expiration modifiée (AAAA/MM/JJ)
<input type="checkbox"/> VICLAS SALCV	
<input type="checkbox"/> Prohibition Ordonnance d'interdiction	
<input type="checkbox"/> Homicide Homicide	
<input type="checkbox"/> Source Source	
<input type="checkbox"/> ATIP AIPRP	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other Autre	

Purge Date (YYYY/MM/DD)  
Date d'expiration (AAAA/MM/JJ)

Access Restricted To:  
Accès restreint à :

2007-321891

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CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

KNOX

## General Occurrence Report

RCMP-GRC/O Division

Printed: 2009/09/14 10:24 by 000037407

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2008-03-07

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## Task Report

Task #: TK20091452318

Status: Open

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Type: Further inv.  
required

Due: 2009/09/12 09:58

Priority:

Title:

Remind time:

Supervisor approval required: Yes Initiator approval required: No

Initiated: 2009/07/07 09:58

Opened: 2009/07/07 11:01

Completed:

Initiator: #000037407 HEBERT, W.

Time:

Assigned to: #000037407 HEBERT, W.

Time: 2009/07/07 11:01

Approved by:

Time: 2009/07/07 11:00

Remarks:

### Occurrence summary

RCMP-GRC/O Division

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Date/Time: between.... 2007/03/22 00:00 and

Clearance status: Not cleared (continuing)

Involved person(s):

Involved address(es): 1) [Dispatch address; Other] 100 MAIN STREET E, Suite 200, HAMILTON, ON  
Canada (HAMILTON-NIAGARA RCMP DETACHMENT) (Div: O, Det:  
Hamilton ON PD)

2) [Other] PORT DOVER, ON Canada

Involved vehicle(s):

Involved officer(s): 1) #000043626 RUMBOLT, M. (Assisting officer)  
2) O DIV HAMILTON-NIAGARA C&E (Primary unit)  
3) #000037407 HEBERT, W. (Lead investigator)

Flag(s):

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*Summary:* Crime Stoppers Tip. Anonymous information, unknown reliability received advising that subjects are involved in the the purchasing of tobacco directly from farmers. The tobacco is then shipped to Montreal where it is processed into illegal cigarettes. The farmers from whom the tobacco is purchased report the tobacco which they sold as stolen to the local OPP. File re-assigned to Cpl. Hebert

*Remarks:*

who?

what? soliciting farmers for Tobacco / Farmers saying  
Tobacco Stolen / Tobacco taken to MTL made into illegal  
smokes

where? FARMERS FIELD UNKNOWN

when? 2007

why? illegal Tobacco Sale of Smokes

- 1) FIND OUT WHO THE FARMERS ARE / PAY VISIT
- 2) ASK FARMERS HOW MUCH TOBACCO STOLEN & IF IT HAS  
BEEN REPORTED
- 3) ANY EVIDENCE @ SCENE OF CRIME
- 4) HOW MANY TIMES HAS THIS HAPPENED / ANY RECENTLY /  
ANY PATTERNS / HAVE YOU HEARD OF ANY OF THIS ACTIVITY  
PAST / PRESENT

CHANCES ARE FARMERS ARE INVOLVED LET THEM KNOW  
RCMP IS AWARE OF THE PROBLEM & THAT IT IS A CRIME

GOAL IS TO DETER THIS FROM HAPPENING & SPREAD  
MESSAGE THROUGH WORD OF MOUTH.